

What Goes On . . .

Sat., May 20, 11:45 a.m. Dedication of Crescent Road Bike Lanes, Stream Valley Opposite St. Hugh's School.

Noon-5 p.m. Greenbelt Homes, Inc. House and Garden Tour, Greenbelt Museum.

Sun., May 21, 2 p.m., GHI annual Meeting, Greenbelt Elementary School.

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County Imposes Recycling Fees City Considers Own Program

by Diane Oberg

Starting this summer, Residents will have an increased incentive to participate in the curbside collection program for recyclables. If legislation currently being considered by the county council is approved, residents will be paying for the service, whether they participate or not. The city is considering a proposal to establish an expanded collection program at considerably less cost than the county fee.

County Fees

The \$47 recycling fee (\$27 for condominium apartments, \$0 for rental apartments) will be in addition to a \$50 "systems benefit fee" to support the operation of the two county landfills, which will be included on county property tax bills in July. Municipal residents will be exempt, at least under the current version of the bill, from the bulky trash and refuse collection fees of \$18 and \$150, respectively. However, there is no way to avoid the \$50 systems benefit fee.

City refuse fees may also be affected by two other changes. The county has cut the recycling rebate paid to Greenbelt by nearly \$100,000. In addition, the tipping fee for yard waste is proposed to increase by 50%, to \$15. City Manager Daniel Hobbs has proposed a \$2 increase in the monthly refuse collection fee to cover the revenue loss. (Although tipping fees for regular refuse were cut significantly, the savings were much less than the revenue loss, and were already factored into Hobbs' budget proposal.)

In a May 8 report to the city

council, County Councilmember Audrey Scott praised the work of Mayor Antoinette Bram and the city staff, especially Recycling Coordinator Tracy Vincent, in working with county officials to identify problems with the draft legislation. Their efforts, Scott said, led to the lower fees for municipal residents.

Recycling Proposal

The city's Recycling Advisory Committee supported Vincent's proposal that the city use a private contractor to collect recyclables from all townhouses and detached homes in the city. This could be done, she said, for an annual cost per residence of just \$15.

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This would cover curbside collection from most developments and collection at the door from GHI. The materials collected would include the newspaper, cans, bottles and plastic currently collected under the county program plus mixed paper, cardboard and phone books that residents now haul to the city's drop off center.

Under the county program the city neither pays for collection nor receives money from the sale of the recyclables. Under Vincent's proposal, the city would receive at least \$25 per ton for mixed paper depending on market conditions (under current conditions, city would get \$60). It costs more for the recycler to prepare the cans, bottles and plastic for recycling, so the city would not be paid for these materials. However, they also would not be charged to "tip" them at the recyclers. Vincent noted that one processing facility

charges \$30 per ton for that privilege.

The proposed fee would cover the entire cost of collection. Vincent proposes that the revenue from the paper sales be used to cover incidental costs such as recycling bin replacement, publicity and education. A one year contract is proposed since neither the city nor the contractor has previous experience with recycling collection. However, Vincent was comfortable with the company with the low bid, since collection of recyclables is not that much different, she said, than the company's normal refuse collection business.

If council adopts this proposal, city refuse customers would automatically receive recycling service. The townhouse neighborhoods that use private haulers but county recycling collection would not be required to join the city service. However, the differences between the \$15 city fee and the \$47 county fee is expected to be a powerful incentive.

Neither rental nor condominium apartments would be included in the city program. Rental apartments are exempt from the new charges and already required to have a commercial recycling arrangement. Condominium apartments are

subject to a lower county fee (\$27). Vincent noted the difficulties of collecting from basement trash rooms and the fact that the condo apartments were originally to be exempt from the fee as reasons for their exclusion. (On May 16, Vincent told the *News Review* that the city is hoping to bring condominiums into the city program, but it is not yet certain that this will be feasible.)

Possible Legislation

While the councilmembers all expressed support for Vincent's proposal, formal action will be required at a future council meeting. The councilmembers also discussed the possible need for legislation to require all residents to contract for recycling collection, either through the city or a private company.

Council to Hike Tax Rate by 3¢

At the final budget worksession on May 17, the members of the Greenbelt City Council reached tentative agreement on a budget for the fiscal year starting July 1, 1995. This budget funds an additional police officer to begin a bike patrol, raises city refuse collection fees by \$1 per month and forgoes a tax increase of three cents.

Council is scheduled to take action on the budget at the Monday, May 22 council meeting.

See USDA, page 13

Greenbelt Launches Effort To Block USDA Complex

by Elaine Skolnik

A vigorous effort is underway by the Greenbelt City Council to stop the United States Department of Agriculture (USDA) from building its headquarters at the Beltsville Agricultural Research Center (BARC).

Letters have already been sent to federal and local elected officials urging them to join Greenbelt in opposing the construction of the proposed 350,000 square foot USDA headquarters on BARC land. The 115 acre tract is located south of Sunnyside Avenue between US 1 and the CSX railroad tracks.

The National Capital Planning Commission (NCP) on May 4 voted to disapprove the proposed modification to the Master Plan for BARC to accommodate the USDA office complex. In April NCP recommended against funding and construction of the project in their proposed Federal Capital Improve-

ment program for fiscal years 1996-2000.

Since NCP's action is only an advisory recommendation, USDA can either drop the project, ignore the NCP recommendation or resubmit the project for further review. USDA Acting Associate Deputy for Operations, Paula Carey, told the *News Review* that the USDA is currently drafting a response to NCP's denial of the project.

"We take their comments seriously and each and every one will be addressed," she said. According to Carey, funding for the first stage (about one half of the total needed)

Full Slate Running for GHI Board and Audit Committee

Eleven candidates are running for five seats on the Board of Directors of Greenbelt Homes, Inc., the 1600 member housing cooperative. The annual meeting, followed by the election, will be held at Greenbelt Elementary School, 66 Ridge Road, on Sunday, May 21. The election will continue on Monday from 7 a.m. to 8 p.m. in the Municipal Building, 25 Crescent Road.

Candidates

Incumbents running for the board are Bill Phelan and Kathy Weber; past board members are Betty Deitch, Keith Jahoda, Virginia Moryadas and Nat Shinderman. Challengers are Rebecca Brune, Walter Morse, Terri Rutledge, Ray Stevens, and Sue Wisler. Three men are running for the Three member audit committee: Alan Freas, John Taylor and Chuck Hess. Charles Braun and Andrew Levin, are running for the Nomination and Elections Committee (N & E). Other nominations for N & E will be made from the floor during the annual

meeting.

Agenda

Members will be asked to determine whether or not to double the number of signatures required on a petition calling for a special membership meeting. Special membership meetings were called by petition at the end of 1993 and 1994. Some members were unhappy with the cost to the corporation of holding those meetings. At the December, 1993 meeting, the motion of the petitioners was approved; at the January, 1995 meeting a similar motion was overwhelmingly voted down.

GHI Board Candidates Address Members' Questions

by Mary Moien

On May 9, Greenbelt Homes Inc. (GHI) held a 'candidates night', to give members a chance to hear from and question candidates for the Board of Directors. Members heard from 10 candidates for the five vacancies on the board. (Subsequently, one additional candidate, Virginia Moryadas, has filed.) The session began with the candidates giving brief summaries of their qualifications and goals.

Rutledge was unable to attend the meeting, but a member of the Nominations and Elections Committee read her statement. Rutledge has served on a number of GHI committees and has been in charge of several of the house and garden tours. She is very interested in enhancing GHI in the marketplace keeping it as an affordable place to live; preserving woodlands and open space; greater member involvement in the community and open communication within the cooperative.

Ray Stevens

Stevens is currently a member of the Audit Committee. He has been a member of the Nominations and Elections Committee and the Woodlands Committee. He is interested in building community spirit and conserving the woodlands. He would recommend a review of GHI staff activities to see if resources can be better utilized. Stevens also is interested in marketing GHI as a cooperative, not just as a house.

Kathy Weber

Weber has been a member of the board of directors for the past two years. She feels that hiring Gretchen Overdurff has been a highlight of that period. Weber is interested in the historic district activities and would also propose an outside study to understand better the reserves funding structure.

Nat Shinderman

Shinderman feels that GHI is on the right path but many decisions still need to be made. He indicated that Overdurff has done a tremendous job since she was hired as

general manager. His objectives include 1) lean budgets but adequate to keep homes in optimum condition; 2) continuance of reserve funds; 3) having the board focus on policy thus utilizing management better; and 4) supporting fee-for-service activities on a non-profit basis.

Sue Wisler

Wisler has lived in GHI since 1985 and wants to take a more active role in the co-op. She indicated that the economy is changing and there needs to be real cost-cutting in GHI so that fees do not become unaffordable. Her priorities include 1) finding more lenders; 2) aggressive marketing strategy; and 3) making maintenance more cost effective.

Betty Deitch

Deitch is a former board member as well as serving as secretary of the board. She indicated that board members should attend meetings with an open mind. Deitch is also concerned about depressed home sales as well as the 'curb appeal' of the homes.

Walter Morse

Morse indicated that he will be sending a letter to each GHI member before the election. He indicated that he was involved with the 'Members First' newsletter and that he had pushed for divulgence of staff salaries. He feels that good changes have come to the board. Morse is a recently-retired attorney and stated that having a lawyer on the board can be an asset.

Rebecca Brune

Brune has served on the Finance Committee. See CANDIDATES, page 7

Letters to the Editor

Things I Thought I'd Never See

After having lived in Greenbelt for about a dozen years, most of them being very involved in GHI, I thought that I had a good idea of what to expect when it comes time for the annual GHI elections. This year I have seen things that I thought I would never see.

The chair of the Nominations and Elections Committee, apparently up to Monday night, Virginia Moryadas, has decided to run for the Board of Directors. It is interesting to note that the Nominations and Election Committee asked all candidates to answer some questions regarding GHI and their positions on various subjects. Moryadas is the only candidate who did not answer any of the questions. After this I guess I shouldn't have been surprised that while she was still the Chairman of the Nominations and Elections Committee she had campaign flyers distributed that directly violated rule # 3 that she sent to all candidates, by failing to acknowledge the originator of the flyers.

Chuck Hess

Thanks

I wish to thank all my friends and neighbors for their phone calls, cards and good wishes sent to me during my illness.

It has made me feel better knowing you care.

Tony Pisano

Greenbrook Village Elects New Board

At the Greenbrook Village Homeowners Association Annual Homeowners' meeting held on April 10, elections to the Board of Directors took place. The following is a list of directors/officers for the association for the coming year: Patricia Brothers, president; Benjamin Boyd, vice president/grounds; Richard Selleh, vice president/architecture; Margaret Powell, treasurer; and Alla Lake, Secretary.

Board meetings are held at Eleanor Roosevelt High School on the second Monday of the month. Owners and residents are encouraged to attend.

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15 Parkway

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

The News Review welcomes letters to the editor. They should be submitted by 9 p.m. Tuesday, be signed in handwriting (with the name also printed or typed) and bear the writer's address and phone number. If possible, letters should be typed double-spaced on one side of the paper. All letters are subject to editing for reasons of space, libel, taste, and clarity.

Time for a Name

I think it's time we did something about the name we use for the woods. There was a time, particularly before the city completed its acquisition, when it was useful to refer to "the School Board Property" (even though the property in question hadn't belonged to the School Board for quite some time), or "Parcel 1" and "Parcel 2" (divided as they were by the "School Board Property"). But now it's time for a single name, a name that will emphasize the "oneness" of the woods.

It doesn't matter too much what name we use: How about "Green Buckle Woods" (to signify the loss of all but this remnant of the Green Belt) or "Roosevelt Municipal Forest"?

Bob Rashkin

Senior Softball

by Burt Kerr

In the first month of Senior Softball we have the Greenbelt White Team losing only one game to Bowie Silver and are in second place in the more powerful Division II. In the Division I, the Greenbelt Green Team hasn't won a game yet but they are improving.

This Beltway League is made up of 11 teams reaching out as far as Westminster and Dundalk. This is an increase in teams over last year showing an expanded interest in the game by seniors. Anyone 60 and over is invited to come and participate regardless of skill or past experience. Call 474-9498 for information on how to get started on fun and exercise.

Correction

The phone number for Walter Morse was incorrectly given in his campaign ad last week. The correct number is 441-2964. The News Review regrets the error.

New Group Helps Citizens Swap Services

The Project Design Committee of GIVES, the new Greenbelt Inter-generational Volunteer Exchange Service, has completed its work and has announced the first annual meeting of the organization. It will be held on Saturday, June 3 from 10 a.m. to noon in the Aquatic and Fitness Center.

As soon as a computer is obtained and the software is loaded, matching of care givers and care receivers will begin. A share credit of one hour will be earned for every hour volunteered. The credits may be used, saved, or given to others. The elderly or disabled are able to carry a negative balance because of others' contributions to the bank of credits.

The Project Design Committee drafted bylaws which have been approved by the coalition, so that a board of directors can be elected on June 3. Marge Bergemann is chairman of the nominating committee. City organizations in the GIVES coalition include the Golden Age Club, the Community Church, the Gray Panthers, the Knights of Columbus, the Senior Citizens Advisory Committee, as well as other civic, service, business, and religious groups.

Anyone interested in participating is invited to attend the meeting. For more information or transportation, call Karen Haseley at the Youth Center at 474-6878.

Greenwood Village Homeowners News

At the Greenwood Village Homeowners Association Annual Homeowners' meeting held on April 19, elections to the Board of Directors took place. The following is a list of directors/officers for the association for the coming year: Roy Dahl, president; Warren Wilcox, vice president; Laurie Ann Garey, treasurer; and Jim Duley, Secretary; and Brent Moulton, Director.

Board meetings are held at Eleanor Roosevelt High School on the third Wednesday of the month. Owners and residents are encouraged to attend.

Hunting Ridge Board

At the Hunting Ridge Condominium Association, Inc. Annual Homeowners' meeting held on April 26, elections to the Board of Directors took place. The following is a list of director/officers for the association for the coming year: Ronald Brooks, president; Ronald Simon, vice president; Cheryl Lewis, Secretary; Jack Davis, treasurer; and William Parker, director.

Board meetings are held at 6914 Hanover Parkway (the Hunting Ridge Clubhouse) on the fourth Wednesday of the month. Owners and residents are encouraged to attend.

Country Line Dancing

Join country line dancing at the Greenbelt Firehouse on Monday nights at 7:30 p.m.

Learn the latest in country line dances instructed by Faith Hines.

The class will last one hour and will be followed by one hour of practice time.

To obtain further information, (see ad) contact the Greenbelt Fire Department on 345-7000, Nancy Remenick (474-8066) or Kathy Reynolds (474-4372).



Regular Meeting of City Council

AND ADOPTION OF FISCAL YEAR 1995/96 BUDGET

Greenbelt Municipal Building
May 22, 1995 - 8:00 p.m.

I. ORGANIZATION

1. Call to Order
2. Roll Call
3. Meditation and Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag
4. Consent Agenda - Approval of Staff Recommendations (The consent agenda consists of those items which have asterisks (*) placed beside them, subject to such revisions as may be made by the Council prior to approval)
5. Approval of Agenda and Additions

II. COMMUNICATIONS

6. Presentation
7. Petitions and Requests (Petitions received at the meeting will not be acted upon by the City Council at this meeting unless the standing rules are waived by the Council)
- * 8. Minutes of Meeting
9. Administrative Reports
- * 10. Committee Reports

III. LEGISLATION

11. An Ordinance to Amend the City Code to Make it consistent with the State Code as Regards Crosswalks at intersections - 2nd Reading
11. Adoption of the Fiscal Year 1995-96 Budgets
12. An Ordinance to Adopt the General Fund, Cemetery Fund, Debt Service Fund, Replacement Fund, Temporary Disability Reserve Fund, Unemployment Compensation Reserve Fund, Green Ridge House Fund, Capital Improvement Fund IV, Capital Projects Fund and Community Development Block Grant Fund Budgets for the City of Greenbelt, to Appropriate Funds and Establish Real Estate and Personal Property Tax Rates for the Fiscal Year 1996, Beginning July 1, 1995 and Including June 30, 1996
 - 1st Reading, Suspension of the Rules
 - 2nd Reading and Final Passage
13. A Resolution to Support National Assault Weapons Control as a Key Component of Local Efforts to Restore Safety in our Cities and Towns
 - 1st Reading, Suspension of the Rules
 - 2nd Reading and Final Passage

IV. OTHER BUSINESS

14. Award of Purchase for Greenbrook Lake Construction
15. Support for Federal Legislation - S.B. 652 - Telecommunications Competition and Deregulation Act
16. Support for WMATA Sponsored Bill - H.R. 1463, Arbitration Standards Act
- * 17. Support for Federal Legislation - H.R. 1462, the Morris K. Udall Parkinson's Research, Education and Assistance Act

V. MEETINGS

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NOTE: This is a preliminary agenda, subject to change. Regular Council meetings are open to the public and all interested citizens are invited to attend. For information, please call 474-3870. If special accommodations are required to make this meeting accessible to any disabled person, please call 474-8000 or 474-1811 (TTY) to request such accommodation before 10:00 am on the day of the meeting.

Dorothy Lauber, City Clerk

Learn Country Line Dancing

Monday Nights
7:30 - 9:30 p.m. at the
Greenbelt Fire House

\$5.00 donation - Refreshments available
Instructed by: Faith Hines

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Golden Age Club

by Dolores Capotosto

The next meeting of the Golden Age Club will be on May 24. We can finally give the video on Australia because the windows have been fixed.

Our next trip will be to Ellicott City on May 25. You can check with Jim Maher at meetings to see if there is any space left. The trip on June 25 will be to Havre de Grace in Maryland.

Also anyone interested in going to Hilton Head, SC in the Fall should make the first payment by June. Talk to Jim Maher if you have any questions about the trip.

It is in the plans to have a yard sale (flea market) for the time of the Greenbelt Day Celebration. Betty Maher has offered to be in charge of this. Her suggestion is for everyone to bring one nice item—that way we would not have a lot of junky things to sell.

Toastmasters Meet

The Toastmaster's Club will meet on Thursday May 25 at 7 p.m. at the Fountain Lodge, 6220 Springhill Drive. Members learn and practice the techniques of effective public speaking. Guests and newcomers are welcome.

The club meets on the first and fourth Thursdays of the month. For information, call Dennis Griffin (301) 982-0598 or Cathy Yaworsky (301) 552-4109.

Community Events

Greenbelt Day Events

Greenbelt Day is a time to commemorate the city's past, celebrate the present and look forward to an exciting future as a great community to live, work and play. A variety of special events are planned for the weekend. The Mayor, Councilmembers and City Staff cordially invite residents and guests to join in the fun. There is something for everyone!

Prepare now to attend the many activities taking place during the Greenbelt Day Weekend. To celebrate Greenbelt's 58th Anniversary events are scheduled Friday, June 2 through Sunday, June 4. Kicking off the weekend activities, on Friday, are a wide variety of youth sports taking place throughout the Greenbelt area. At the Aquatic and Fitness Center, it's a Family Moonlight Swim. Saturday's action includes the continuation of the youth sports and a diversity of fun activities.

The weekend celebration will conclude Sunday with a special Greenbelt Day Weekend Family Extravaganza at the Greenbelt American Legion Post # 136. This event features a variety of food, drink, games, concerts, dancing and much, much more!!

Information brochures are available at all City facilities.

SHL Neighbor Watch Celebrates Anniversary

Springhill Lake Good Neighbor Watch Group, recipient of the 1988 Governors Merit Award, celebrates its 16th anniversary on Wednesday, May 24, at 7 p.m. at the Fountain Lodge. The speaker will be James R. Craze, Chief of the Greenbelt Police Department. Chief Craze will address the topic of "The Importance of Volunteer Commitment to the Community for a Crime Free Neighborhood." Dignitaries representing various city, local, and state government agencies, other watch groups and organizations will attend the celebration. The property management of Springhill Lake will be in attendance. Individuals who received training during the past year will be presented with a Certificate of Training officially recognizing the completion of the first stage of crime watch training. This certificate provides acknowledgment of appreciation for their involvement in the community.

Pivotal to the Good Neighbor Watch Group's inception was the concept of increasing familiarity within the community; its neighbors, neighborhoods, and the local police department in order to increase safety. During its sixteen year history, the group has progressed from simply learning about criminal activity in general, to identifying specific types of suspicious behavior to be aware of and to report. The group has conducted hundreds of basic crime watch training sessions, lectures, and workshops covering timely topics, and mobile patrols. While the social and humanitarian needs of SHL's residents continues to be a priority, the underlying theme of the monthly meetings has been to maintain a safe, quiet, and crime free neighborhood. This anniversary is an appropriate time to reaffirm the commitment to the community.

Gray Panthers Meet

Labor and the Contract with America will be the subject when the Gray Panthers of Prince Georges County's Greenbelt chapter meets on Saturday May 20 at 1:30 p.m. at the Greenbelt Police Station. The speaker will be Robert V. Setera, International Representative of the Construction, Maintenance and Service Trades Division of the Laborers' International Union of North America.

The Gray Panthers, an intergenerational advocacy organization invites the public to attend. For information and/or rides, call Esther Webb, 474-6890, or Janet Parker, 474-6668.

Citgo Station Now Open

by Millie O'Dea

The remodeled gas station on Southway, formerly the Co-Op Service Station, opened May 10, and everything from gas tanks to counters was gleaming. A staff of ten, including Dave Meadows serving as the Service Writer Manager, will provide 24-hour service. The station offers general automotive repair, oil changes, tire care, and a mini-mart with soft drinks, snacks, charcoal, and copier service.

Greg Kulick, manager and owner of the business, also owns a station in Glenn Dale, which he took over after his father's death. Kulick, originally from New Carrollton, lives in Bowie with his wife and three children (two were adopted in Russia).

Kulick stated that it was rough getting the station ready to open, but he is now enjoying his relationships with customers. He noted he had received an overwhelming response to the ad for personnel he had placed in the News Review.

Learn About Parks

Learn about eastern national parks at Greenbelt Park on Sunday, May 21 at 8:30 p.m. A park ranger will discuss the themes and history of the major parks in the east and the efforts of National Park Service leaders and private citizens to preserve cultural, historical, and natural areas in the east. Meet at the campfire circle.

Kids Karnival

Come one! Come All! Games. Magic Cards. Face Painting. Snacks. Prizes.

On Sunday May 21 at 2 p.m. by the Boxwood Village playground on Lastner Lane there will be a children's carnival put on by children benefit the Ronald McDonald House. Come for a fun afternoon.

GHI Sponsors Spring House and Garden Tour

"Bloomin' Greenbelt" is the theme of the 1995 Spring House and Garden Tour of Greenbelt Homes, Inc. The tour takes place on Saturday May 20 from noon to 5 p.m. It is free and open to the general public. The tour begins at the Greenbelt Museum, 10-B Crescent Road, where visitors can pick up a map identifying homes and gardens on the tour. The tour is self-guided, allowing visitors to tour at their own pace.

The tour offers an opportunity to visit this unique and historic community. Greenbelt Homes, Inc. (GHI) is a housing cooperative of 1,600 homes encompassing a total of 250 acres of land. Many of the homes date to 1937, when Greenbelt was begun as one of the first planned communities in America. The homes, most of them townhouses, were intended to provide average American families with economical housing in a pleasant, neighborly environment.

Some of the townhouses were built using masonry, in a style that incorporated several elements of Art Deco design into the design of the community. Pleasant walkways connect the homes to each other and to the original town center, which features shops, restaurants, library, a pool and fitness center, and a movie theater.

By beginning the tour at the Greenbelt Museum, visitors can take a peek into the past of this historic community. The museum, one of the original townhouses, features some of the New Deal-era furniture and objects which the town's original residents used in their homes. On the tour, visitors will see many homes that have been extensively modernized. Nevertheless, the community continues to be characterized by its neighborly spirit and its abundance of open, green space.

Friends of Greenbelt Park Annual Meeting

Friends of Greenbelt National Park invites everyone to attend the Annual Meeting on Wednesday, May 24 at 7:30 p.m. at 6100 Kenilworth Avenue (Westchester Park Towers). The agenda includes making plans to secure the twenty acre Jaeger Tract for open space, not development, and the election of officers. All are welcome.

At the Library

Wednesday, May 24 P.J. Storytime for ages 4-6 at 7 p.m. Thursday, May 25 Drop-In Storytime for ages 3-5 at 10:15 a.m.

Recreation Review

DISCOUNT AMUSEMENT PARK TICKETS

Once again, the Greenbelt Rec Depart is providing amusement park tickets for the 1995 season at a cost savings. Parks included are Kings Dominion, Dorney Park, Hershey Park, Six Flags-Great Adventure, Adventure World, Sesame Place and Busch Gardens.

CITY ATHLETIC FIELD USE

First priority for practice and games on city fields will be permitted to youth and city leagues. All other use is on a first-come, first-served basis.



CRESCENT ROAD/BICYCLE LANES DEDICATION

The Greenbelt City Council will be dedicating the new bicycle lanes on Crescent Road on Saturday, May 20, at 11:45 a.m. at Stream Valley Park across from St. Hugh's School. The public is invited to join in this dedication ceremony.



ATTENTION GHI MEMBERS

Annual Meeting and Elections

Sunday, May 21, 2 p.m.

Greenbelt Elementary School

and

Voting May 22, 7 a.m.-8p.m.

at Greenbelt City Hall

in Roosevelt Center



TENTATIVE AGENDA Advisory Planning Board Meeting

Wednesday, May 24, 1995
7:30 p.m.

Greenbelt Police Station Classroom

1. Call to Order
2. Approval of Agenda
3. Approval of Minutes
4. Further discussion of Proposal for Development of Smith-Ewing Lot 2.
5. Discussion of Revised Proposal for Sunrise Property

PAID AD



PRELIMINARY AGENDA

GHI Board of Directors

Thursday, May 25, 1995, 7:30 p.m.

GHI Board Room

Key Agenda Items:

- Certification of Elections
- Election of officers
- Summer meeting schedule
- Board training Session dates

Members are encouraged to attend.

Evelyn Hackley

Evelyn M. Hackley, 72 died on May 15. She had lived in Greenbelt for the past nine months. Formerly she lived in Laurel.

She is survived by her sons, Sonny Mooney of 9 Parkway and Fred Mooney of 2 Court Research, three other children, Don, June and Yvonne Grey and 15 grandchildren.

Caregiver's Support Group to Meet

The Caregiver's Support Group of the University Fellowship Adult Care Center will meet on Wednesday, May 24, at 5 p.m. at 3515 Campus Drive, College Park. The meeting is open to the community, with everyone invited to share common concerns, issues and problem solving techniques. Respite care is available upon request. For more information call 422-7970.

The Greenbelt Gardener

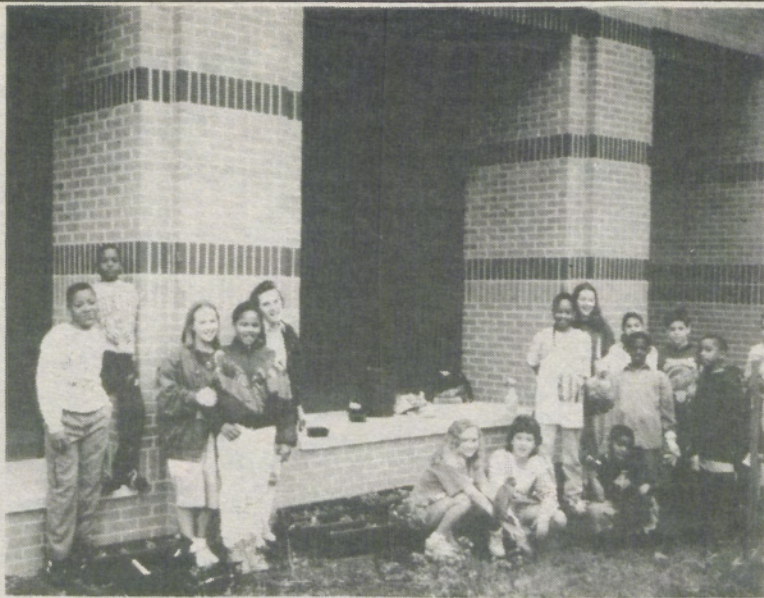
by Rosie Rhubarb

It cannot be said often enough - plant summer annual flower and vegetable plants when warm weather finally arrives, but before it gets hot and before the spring rains disappear. So plant soon, don't wait till Memorial Day weekend, or you will make yourself more work.

That's because seeds and young plants need to be kept moist. The spring rains in April and May will provide most of the moisture growing things need, so you won't have to water as much. June, on the other hand, can be quite hot and the intense sun dries the soil out quickly. You would have to water young plants frequently if planted then. Plants started in mid-May have several weeks to settle in before things get really hot.

Some annual flowers can still be started from seed, but it is getting late to do so. Zinnia, marigold, and cosmos will come up if started now, but they won't flower for many weeks to come. But if planted late they will stay in good form right up to frost.

Tomatoes and peppers should be started from plants. Beans and squash can still be started from seed. Herbs can be hard to start from seed since many have small seeds. But the hot-weather-loving basil can be grown this way, as can herbs with big seeds. Perennial herbs are probably best bought as plants.



GAB members, the Greenbelt Elementary School Advisory Board who participated in an Earth Day activity on April 21, planted impatiens in window boxes which will decorate the front entry of the school. GAB members l t r are: Row 1, John Boyd, Kendall Lawson, Nicole Barton, Jarnisha Savage, Ms O'Kane, co-advisor, Meghan Lloyd, Sarah Hinsley, Ricky Montague; Row 2, Keva Marable, Adam Vicks, Kevin Marable; Row 3, Lauren Derise, Antonella Durantine, Jason Jones
—photo by Letty Morton

Need Host Families

The World Heritage Program needs host families in the D.C. metropolitan area to find warm and loving homes for specially chosen scholarship participants from the Republics of Belarus, Russia, Ukraine, Moldova and others.

Host families may select their newly 'adopted' son or daughter from extensive applications that include photo collages and biographical essays. All participants are fully insured, conversant in English and are furnished with their own spending money.

Host families are simply asked to provide room, board and loving homes in which these students may experience the American way of life and learn about the principles of Democratic society. In return, the entire family will gain exposure to a foreign culture so different from their own.

World Heritage also offers families the opportunity to host students from Spain, Mexico, France, Germany and Sweden. For more information about this unique opportunity to illuminate the lives of one of these student's please call Frank Idowu 301/490-7475 or 1-800-888-9040.

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Walk for Hunger

Greenbelt Community Church, Greenbelt Baptist, Berwyn Presbyterian and Holy Redeemer Catholic are joining other local churches in the CROP Hunger Walk on Sunday May 21. Representatives from numerous local churches will walk to raise funds to "defeat" hunger locally and internationally.

Last year, \$6,500 was raised for Help by Phone, which has eight food pantries in PG county, providing emergency food relief.

The walk will begin and end at the Hyattsville First United Methodist at the intersection of Queens Chapel and Queensbury Roads, and will wind through Hyattsville, College Park, University Park and UM campus.

For information, or for "walking papers", call Lyn Boyle at 345-4263.

Woodwind Concert

The Montpelier Cultural Arts Center Spring Recital Series continues on Sunday, May 21 at 3 p.m. with a performance by Atlantic Winds, a woodwind quintet. Although free, seating is limited, so please call ahead to make reservations at 301-953-1993.

Baha'i Faith

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Curry States All Libraries Will Remain Open In 1996

by Dorothy Sucher

Prince Georges County Executive Wayne Curry came to Greenbelt on Tuesday morning May 16, bringing good news. At a news conference held in the Greenbelt library, Curry announced that all libraries in the county, including the Greenbelt branch, will remain open--at least through 1996. Six had been threatened with closure due to the county's budget crisis.

Curry stated that he would be sending a supplementary budget to the County Council calling for an addition of \$2.8 million to the county library system. These funds include an additional \$800,000 in county support, plus a special, one-time supplement of \$2 million from the

state of Maryland. The latter sum was allocated by the state legislature and approved by Governor Parris Glendening in response to citizen protests.

Efforts Paid Off

Stating that he had "traveled to Annapolis many times, and lobbied

for additional funding from the state," Curry added, "I was impressed with the rallying cry you stirred in support of the library system. The collective and tireless efforts of the system's Board of Trustees, its director, and the Friends of the Library paid off." He noted that library supporters had collected over 30,000 signatures on petitions.

Many of the Friends of the Library were among the crowd of 125 in attendance at Curry's press conference. The County Executive was introduced to the group by William Gordon, director of the county library system, and welcomed to

Greenbelt by Mayor Antoinette "Toni" Bram and City Manager Daniel Hobbs.

Curry stressed that the \$2 million in state aid was a "one-time deal" with "no guarantee that this 'gesture' will be repeated in fiscal year 1997, at which time we will be back at square one--looking at library closures if the financial outlook requires."

He stressed that long-term changes must be made to the county's revenue structure to guarantee adequate revenues in the future. "Otherwise," he said, "we will be making more hard choices during the next budget cycle."

Greenbelt Little League Standings

As of Tues., May 15

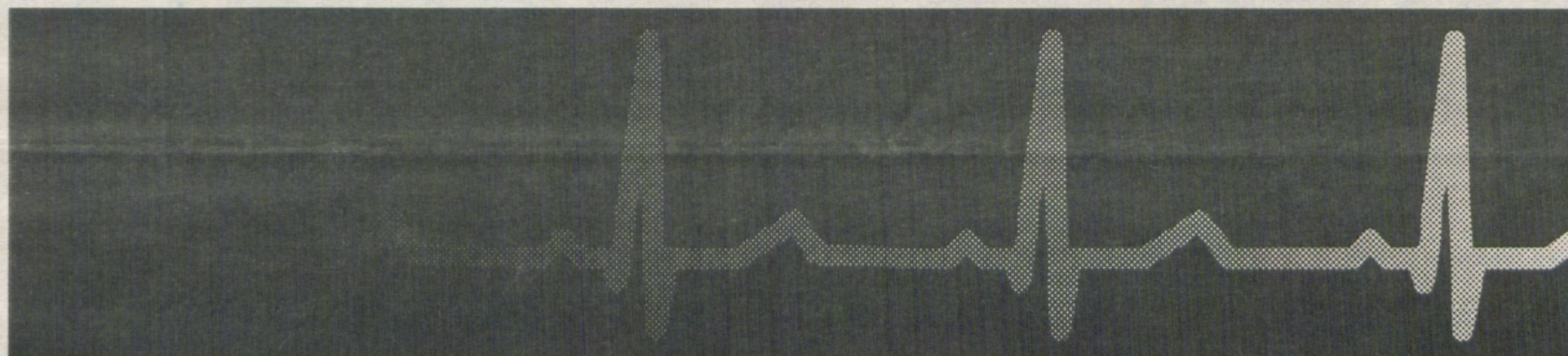
American League National League

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Giants	5-2	Cubs	3-3
Athletics	5-2	Indians	3-3
Orioles	4-3	Lions	2-5
Tigers	3-3	Cardinals	1-5

GAMES

Mon May 22	6	Giants at Cards
Tues May 23	6	A's at O's
Wed May 24	6	Lions at Tigers
Thur May 25	6	Indians at Cubs
Fri May 26	6	Lions at A's
Fri May 26	7*	O's at Cards
Sat May 27	10	Tigers at Indians
Sat May 27	1	Cubs at Giants
*Braden Field #2		
All others at McDonald's Field		

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It's National Hospital Week. So what better time to tell you about the enthusiasm here at Doctors Community Hospital -- the kind of enthusiasm that comes from not only meeting, but consistently exceeding the health care expectations of our community.

That enthusiasm generates the kind of work that wins awards. We note with pride that our *Outpatient Surgery Program* recently won the prestigious Gallup Quality Award.

Yet we're also feeling great over in the *Emergency Department* because of our highly-rated emergency care. And because everybody compliments the

E.R.'s *Fast Lane Program* for its speed and thoroughness in treating the scuffs, bruises and breaks inevitable in life.

And our chests are swelling over in the *Chest Pain Evaluation Center* because we are saving lives by teaching people to recognize the warning signs of a heart attack.

Another reason everybody feels so motivated over here at *Doctors Community Hospital* is because *you*, our neighbors, make us feel that way -- by participating in our *OASIS Seniors Membership Program*, for example, or because you call our *Health Connection Information and Referral Service* with your questions about

doctors, health information classes and community health resources.

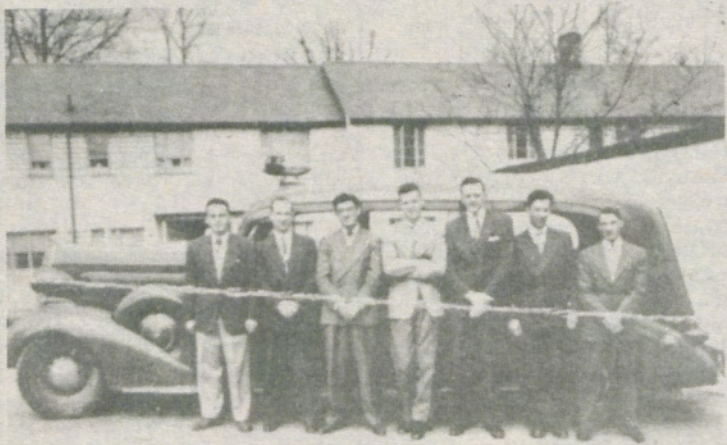
So that's why we're so excited about the week of May 14th, 1995: "*Hospital Week*" here at Doctors Community Hospital. Because we're proud about helping to keep our community healthy.

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Greenbelt Rescue Squad, pictured above in June 1949, included from left to right: Milton Laikens, Bud Zoellner, Earl Hampton, Chief; Jack Snoddy Sr., Jim Williams, Dave Middledorf, and Richard Pates.

Birth of Greenbelt's Volunteer Fire Dept.

By Kathy Reynolds and Molly Golubcow

Next year, Greenbelt's rescue squad will reach the half-century mark. In 1946 the city's first ambulance service was created by seven young men — Milton Laikens, Bud Zoellner, Earl Hampton, Jack Snoddy, Sr., Jim Williams, Dave Middledorf, and Dick Bates.

That November, members Werner Steinle, Dick Bates, and Richard Gray loaned \$400 as a down payment to the rescue squad for a 1936 Buick ambulance. For maintenance and operating costs the squad relied on carnivals, dances and donations to raise funds.

Warner Steinle, Earl Hampton and Bud Zoellner were the first three members to hold the position of chief. In January 1954, Chief Zoellner proposed a by-law change to add the office of president and vice president. When the proposal passed, Bud Zoellner became the first president of the Greenbelt Volunteer Rescue Squad. Tom Snoddy served as vice president.

Two Services Merge

To encourage the group to form a volunteer fire department, the city of Greenbelt offered

to turn over its two existing fire trucks. At a special meeting on January 19, 1955, the members of the rescue squad voted to incorporate with the fire department. On February 10, 1955, the official name of the new group became the Greenbelt Volunteer Fire Department and Rescue Squad, Inc. The first president of the merged departments was Bud Zoellner, with J. Paul Williams as the first chief. Originally the fire department was housed where Domino's Pizza is located today. In the early 1960's the Greenbelt firehouse was built at 125 Crescent Road, where today it is still operational.

Now in 1995, one can look back at the determination, dedication, and courage of those seven young men with pride and many, many thank you's. The men and women who make up the department today are forever grateful to the founding fathers... for we are alive and well, and yes, still dreaming of our volunteer future.

Pesticide Council Public Forum

Governor Parris N. Glendening's Pesticide Council is seeking public participation and direct input during its monthly meeting on May 24, in Annapolis.

The Governor's Pesticide Council was formed to provide a mechanism by which a variety of people could have input into evaluation and development of state pesticide programs relating to pesticide use. The council advises the Governor and the Secretary of Agriculture on actions necessary to produce healthful agricultural products and to allow proper pest control while protecting the health and safety of Maryland citizens and the environment. The council's fifteen members represent pesticide manufacturers, regulators, scientists, pesticide users, local government, environmental organization and the public.

The council generally meets on the fourth Wednesday of each month at the Maryland Department of Agriculture headquarters. Public forums are held regularly during the year at which the public may present their questions, issues or support relating to pesticide management programs. The May 24 meeting will be the tenth in a series of scheduled forums held to provide an opportunity for direct public comment.

Anyone who wishes to make a presentation or report to the council on May 24, should write to Mary Ellen Setting, Council Staff, Governor's Pesticide Council, c/o Maryland Department of Agriculture, 50 Harry S. Truman Parkway, Room 500, Annapolis, Md. 21401, or call Mrs. Setting at 410-841-5710. Requests must be received by May 22.

Farm Help Needed

A good place to start the spring renewal is the Old Maryland Farm at Watkins Park. People can help either in gardening tasks or as a tour guide. Training is available for these and other jobs, call 699-2800.

Attention GHI Members



DON'T PANIC

Notice of Auction of GHI Property reported in error.

It has come to the attention of Management, Staff and others in the community that a portion of GHI property has been placed on the auction block. The property, identified as a block of homes on Northway, had been placed on the sale listing for delinquent real estate taxes.

A red faced county representative has apologized and assured GHI that, indeed, all of its tax liability had been paid and the mix-up occurred when a credit for a portion of the homes on Northway was entered into their computer system as a debit liability instead of a credit. In fact, in a letter of apology from the county, we were informed that GHI will receive a little over \$100 back.

GHI Members, rest easy! No portion of GHI will be sold by the county for unpaid taxes. GHI Fiscal Department paid GHI's tax bill in full, and on time.

VOTE

Walter Morse

for

GHI Board

441-2964

by the Authority of the Candidate

GHI · VOTE · GHI RAY STEVENS

for

Board of Directors

Experienced

Community Service Activist

by the Authority of the Candidate

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2-K Westway Road

Candidate for

Board of Directors of GHI

GHI Member: since 1952

Education: B.A. Degree - Math major
1½ years graduate work in Math and Public Administration

Employment: 30+ years in Personnel Administration and Management

GHI Board and Committees

- Member Board of Directors - 1963-1972
- President: 2 years, Vice President: 3 years
- Served more than 55 terms on GHI committees from 1964 to date

Other Activities

- Set up the original organization structure of GHI.
- Personally hired the initial maintenance personnel including maintenance superintendent
- Conducted nationwide recruiting program leading to employment of first manager
- Wrote the personnel policies
- Developed the Replacement Reserve program in 1987 which will obviate the need for \$30+ million Rehabilitation Program in the future
- Served as consultant to GHI about 1962 and for one year to Equal Employment Opportunity Commission
- Member of Greenbelt Lions Club for 8 years, last year as First Vice President
- Original member and Docent, Greenbelt Museum.
- Served on the City's Board of Elections for 10+ years

Will work for:

- ★ Lean but adequate budgets
- ★ Support of the Replacement Reserve Program
- ★ Greater delegation of authority to the Manager for day-to-day operations
- ★ Board to concentrate on policies, programs and finance including budgets
- ★ Continuing communication with members

By authority of candidate

Weight-Loss Help Is A Phone Call Away

Summer's almost here, and people may find that those extra winter pounds they meant to lose may still be hanging around. But help is just a toll-free phone-call away. By calling 1-800-843-8114, extension 259, people can order a free copy of Get Fit, Trim Down, a booklet from the American Institute for Cancer Research that features clever tips on managing weight and being more active.

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CANDIDATES

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Committee and is also a member of the 'Members First' newsletter. She is involved in a community ministry group and serves on their board of directors, working on budgets, etc. She has concerns with resale issues; keeping fees low but preserving quality; preserving woodlands. She is in favor of 'members working together'. The members need to preserve GHI as a cooperative, she said.

Bill Phelan

Phelan has lived in GHI for eight years. He has been Chair, Woodlands Committee and is currently on the GHI board of directors. Phelan described how he has worked to improve the common areas. He favors disclosure of environmental issues. He commented on the strong effect that the new general manager is having on GHI.

Keith Jahoda

Jahoda has lived in GHI since 1988 and is a former board member. He likes to be brief and concise. He feels that good people with strong beliefs have to work together. Co-ops can be very powerful. GHI has to work with surrounding communities. Also, he indicated that the reserve funds issue needs to be rediscussed.

Fee for Service

The first question from the floor concerned the fee-for-service program which lost money in 1993 and 1994 - although not as much of a loss in 1994. The questioner asked whether GHI should keep this program, should it be subsidized, or were there alternatives. Shinderman was the first to respond. He recommended the program in 1985, admits that there were problems, but feels that the new manager has the problems in hand. Stevens indicated that he has used the program and was satisfied with the results. He has questions that he would bring to the board before voting to extend the program. Jahoda also favors the program, but reminds people that GHI has been trying to set up a volunteer program and that could help with some of the smaller projects.

Phelan is in favor of the fee-for-service program. He commented that this program makes it easy to correct problems at re-sale, when the costs can be paid from the sale of the home. Brune indicated that this service is one of the things that attracted her to GHI. Since she

knows people who have had problems with the service, she recommends that each member get an evaluation form to complete when they have used this service. Weber feels that the service is good because so many people are working and they feel they can trust GHI to come into their homes and work.

Wisler commented that the service was originally set up as a handyman service and that GHI may be trying to do too much in this area. Wisler would give GHI six months or a year to see if the program can work efficiently, shorter than a two year extension that had been briefly mentioned by an earlier candidate as being contemplated by the current board. Morse indicated that he had no strong feeling on the fee-for-service program but commented that GHI had gotten along without it for 40 years.

Resale Problems

The next question concerned the huge number of homes on the market. The member asked candidates for ideas on new marketing and financing strategies. Stevens had earlier commented on the need to market the whole community. Morse agreed with the strategy, commenting that people who want to leave GHI are held captive. He proposed an idea for an installment plan for down payments, but indicated he would have to give it more thought. Shinderman commented that the resale committee has reduced the amount needed for working capital on a trial basis, that would save the average buyer about \$1,000. The committee is also

completing a brochure to distribute to employers in the area.

Wisler indicated that word-of-mouth advertising by members could help, but that high co-op fees are scaring people away. GHI is just not as affordable as it once was. Weber indicated that the fact that the Federal National Mortgage Association underwrites most mortgages is a problem since it is not in favor of coop mortgages. Phelan is concerned that people who bought homes at the height of the market may just let their homes revert to GHI. That possibility makes bad resale a concern for all members, not just those trying to sell. He would like the board to investigate the possibility of helping the staff buy homes in GHI with a type of mortgage assistance.

Brune indicated that a former GHI member and realtor indicated that sales won't improve until GHI cleans the place up and gets buyers into homes for under 20 percent down payment. Jahoda commented on the fact that the NASA Credit Union makes loans for GHI homes and other large credit unions should be approached to do likewise.

Executive Sessions

The next question concerned the contents of executive sessions and what should be reported from them. All candidates who responded indicated a need for executive sessions to be held to discuss personnel issues, lawsuits, as well as member problems where individual names are used. Brune indicated that issues that may have a negative impact on the board she currently serves on are

Latest Filing

Virginia Moryadas, 11 Ridge Road, filed for the GHI Board. Moryadas, chair of the Nominations and Elections Committee and moderator of GHI's May 9 "Candidates Night," filed her candidacy on May 11.

At a meeting of the Nominations & Election Committee on May 15, Moryadas resigned and Charlene Lagerwerff was appointed chair. Several weeks ago Connie Arnold was appointed to replace Walter Morse who is a candidate for the board. The committee is in the process of selecting a fifth member to replace Moryadas.

handled in executive session. The board can then discuss them and later present better information and ideas to the members. Brune, as well as Jahoda who spoke after her, indicated that the members have to trust the board.

Contacting Out

The next question concerned a rumor that GHI is considering contracting out maintenance and/or management activities. All candidates are vehemently opposed to both of these proposals. Stevens indicated that it would signal a death knell for GHI.

Replacement Reserves

Where do the candidates stand on the issue of replacement reserves, that is to put money aside on an on going basis versus borrowing for future major maintenance? Stevens indicated that he would need to study it more but that there must be an upper limit to what is collected. Wisler is concerned because she heard a rumor that members may continue to pay their rehab fee amount into a reserves fund. Shinderman reemphasized his concerns about inadequate reserves. Phelan indicated that it may not be a question of borrowing versus saving for maintenance in the future. The co-op may not be able to borrow in the future if environmental issues are not addressed.

Each member who wanted to ask a question was called upon. Several appeared to have additional questions to ask, but the Nominations and Elections Committee noted that it was 9:30 and closed the meeting.

Field Day at BARC

A Precision Agriculture Field Day is set for Monday June 19 at the USDA-ARS Beltsville Agricultural Research Center (BARC). Field Day plans are being coordinated by the Potash and Phosphate Institute (PPI) Foundation for Agronomic Research (FAR), the Fertilizer Institute and BARC.

Visitors will see how space-age technology is providing important tools for nutrient management and other aspects of modern crop production. Exhibits will open at 9 a.m. in tents on the BARC grounds. They will show computer hardware and software, as well as related technology developments. A joint House and Senate agriculture hearing will begin at 9:30 a.m. in the auditorium of the Administration Building.

Noon lunch will be provided by the Maryland Grain Producers Association and the Maryland Grain Producers Utilization Board. The afternoon program includes bus tours to see live demonstrations of precision farming experiments at BARC. Barley harvesting and alfalfa fertilization will be demonstrated.

Participants should register by May 26 for the lunch and bus tours. Call Dr. William K. Griffith at 703-450-4835 for registration information.

RE-ELECT Bill Phelan to GHI Board of Directors

What I've helped accomplish in my term.

- 1) Hired the Co-op an excellent General Manager.
- 2) Made the repair of improper washer drains GHI's responsibility instead of the members'.
- 3) Co-op employee salaries are now available to members, listed by job title.
- 4) Environmental Assessment Study was made public and the Co-op has begun dealing with its lead paint and fuel storage problems.
- 5) Improvements in the care of our trees and commons. (Fall leaf raking; seeding and fertilization of common area lawns; increased funding for tree care)
- 6) Fee increases held in line with increases in the cost of living.

What I hope to accomplish if re-elected:

- 1) Establish a funding plan for long term replacement reserves.
- 2) Continue improvements in the maintenance of our homes and commons and encourage staff efficiency.
- 3) Foster a sense of community through activities that get members together like the Court Beautification Program, GHI Cleanup Day and GHI Day.
- 4) Keep fee increases in line with increases in the cost of living.

by authority of the candidate.

Elect
to the
GHI Board

vote May 21/22

paid for by Keith Jahoda

Keith Jahoda



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Elect - BETTY DEITCH

to the GHI Board of Directors

VOTE May 21st. & 22nd. VOTE

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CANDIDATE

KATHY WEBER

BOARD MEMBER

SAYS, - - GHI HOMES ARE
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Oscar Mayer lb. pkg. Meat Wieners	1.39	Claussen Pickles All Varieties 24 oz. min.	\$2.19
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Land O Lakes SWISS CHEESE lb.	\$3.29	Tropicana Pure Tropics Fruit Juice Blends ½ Gal.	\$1.79
POTATO SALAD Dutch or Country Style lb.	99c	Best Yet 16 oz. Shredded Cheddar or Mozzarella 16 oz.	\$2.29

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		Furman's Kidney Beans 40 oz.	79c

Kraft
Salad Dressings 8 oz.
Regular-Reduced Calorie

99

Best Yet 15½ oz.
Pork & Beans

3/89c

Kraft
Barbecue Sauces 18 oz.

79c

Lipton 100 pk.
Tea Bags

\$1.89

Shasta
Soda All Flavors 12 oz. Cans

5/89c

Hanover Fam. Size 29 oz.
Tomato Sauce

2/99c

Dermassage 22 oz.
Liquid Dish Detergent

69c

Kraft Original
Macaroni & Cheese Dinner 7¼ oz.

59c

Maxwell House Reg. 8 oz.
Instant Coffee

\$3.99

Dart Large 36 pk.- 14 oz.
Foam Cups

99c

Hawaiian Punch
Family Size Fruit Drinks Gallon

2.29

Sparkle 72 Sheet
Paper Towels

59

San Giorgio
Rotelle Pasta Shells 1 lb.

49c

Old El Paso 16oz.
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\$1.69

Campfire
Marshmallows 16 oz.

89c

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Fig Bars 2 lb.

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Microwave Popcorn 9 oz.-12 oz.

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Best Yet 18 oz.
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Anjou Pears lb.	79c	Verdelli Cole Slaw 1 lb. Pkg.	69c
Kiwi Fruit	5/99c	Vine Ripe Tomatoes lb.	79c
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Golden Delicious Apples lb.	79c	Fancy Mushrooms 8 oz. Pkg. Each	99c
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POLICE BLOTTER

Based on Information
Released by the Greenbelt
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A 39 year old resident woman was arrested and charged with possession of paraphernalia after her vehicle was stopped near Cherrywood Lane and Greenbelt Road for several equipment violations. She was found to be in possession of a pipe commonly used to smoke marijuana and was released on citation pending trial.

A 16 year old resident youth was arrested and charged with possession of marijuana on May 9, at 10:45 in the 6100 block of Springhill Terrace. Officers were responding to a report of a suspicious person in a vehicle. Upon approaching they detected the odor of what they believed to be marijuana. The youth was released to a guardian pending trial.

A 15 year old resident youth was arrested and charged with possession of marijuana with intent to distribute on school grounds, possession of marijuana with intent to distribute and possession of marijuana. Responding to a report of a student in possession of suspected marijuana, the School Resource Officer at Eleanor Roosevelt High School located the student and found the youth to be in possession of suspected marijuana. The suspect was released to a parent pending trial. The incident occurred around 2:10 p.m. May 5.

Hotline on Drugs

The Greenbelt Police Department needs the help of residents. Any citizen with information about possible drug activity in the city is encouraged to call the Greenbelt Narcotics Hot Line at 507-6524. Callers may remain anonymous.

A 15 year old nonresident youth was arrested and charged with trespassing on school grounds, and possession of tobacco by a minor. The school officer observed a suspected trespasser while patrolling Eleanor Roosevelt High School on May 11 around 11:15 a.m. The suspect fled from the officer but was detained a short time later by a school administrator and found to be in possession of cigars. The suspect was released to his mother pending trial.

An unattended cellular phone was taken from a desk in an office in the 7800 block of Walker Drive on May 11, 4:40 p.m. Approximately 100 wooden pallets were taken from Frank's Nursery at 6300 Greenbelt Road on May 5 around 9:30 a.m.

Car Tags

A 30 year old nonresident male was arrested and charged with credit card fraud. Officers responded to the Caldors Department Store at 6000 Greenbelt Road after a report of a person attempting to purchase merchandise with a stolen credit card on May 8 around 10:12 p.m. The suspect appeared before a District Court Commissioner, where he was held on \$2,500 bond pending trial.

Two registration plates, reported stolen on April 27 from a vehicle in the 5900 block of Cherrywood Lane, were recovered on May 7 around 5:30 a.m. by Montgomery County Police. Three arrests were made. One of several temporary registration plates stolen from Capitol Cadillac dealership on May 2 was recovered May 5 around 8:40 p.m. in Landover. An arrest was made. A second plate was recovered the same day in the area of Cherrywood Lane and Greenbelt Road after an officer noticed a

suspicious vehicle around 8:33 p.m. A 25 year old nonresident male was arrested and charged with theft. A third plate was recovered May 8 in Temple Hills. Two arrests were made by the Prince Georges County Police. A nonresident woman was arrested and charged with theft after a computer check revealed that the registration plate on her vehicle had been reported stolen. The incident took place in the area of Greenbelt Road and Kenilworth Avenue on May 6 around 11:15 p.m. and the suspect was released on citation pending trial.

Reward

The Greenbelt City Police Department is offering a reward of up to \$500 for information leading to the arrest and conviction of person(s) responsible for any of the unsolved crimes as reported in Criminal Investigations in the Police Blotter in the Greenbelt News Review. Contact 507-6530. All information is confidential.

A 27 year old nonresident male was arrested and charged with theft on May 5 around 3:55 p.m. Stopped in the 6200 block of Greenbelt Road for an equipment violation, a computer check revealed the vehicle as stolen. The suspect was released on citation pending trial.

A 1992 Jeep Cherokee reported stolen on April 28 from the 7500 block of Greenway Center Drive was recovered on May 5 around 4:50 p.m. in the 5000 block of C Street S.E., Washington, D.C. A 1992 Honda Accord, reported stolen from the 6200 block of Springhill Court on May 9, was recovered the same day by Montgomery County Police. A stolen 1989 Toyota Tercel was re-covered May 8 by the University of Maryland Police department on the campus. A 1979 Oldsmobile Cutlass was recovered in the 5800 block of Cherrywood Terrace on May 11 around 4:55 p.m.

Vehicles were reported stolen as follows: Friday May 5, gray, two-door, 1989 Chevrolet Cavalier, MD tags WFX 492 from 5800 block of Cherrywood Terrace; Tuesday May 9, black, four-door, 1985 Nissan Maxima, FL tags HFR845, from 9300 block of Edmonston Rd.; light blue over dark blue, 1984 Cadillac El Dorado, MD tags AWM 597, from 44 Ct. of Ridge Rd.; Wednesday May 10, blue, four-door, 1989 Toyota Camry, MD tags BRY644, from 6100 block of Breezewood Dr.

Vandalisms to, thefts from, and attempted thefts of vehicles were reported in the following areas: the 5900 block of Cherrywood Ln., the 5900 block of Cherrywood Terr., 20 Ct. and 100 block of Crescent Rd., 9100 block of Edmonston Rd., 7500 block of Greenbelt Rd., and 6900 block of Hanover Pkwy.

Memorial Day Spirit

Celebrate the true spirit of Memorial Day by remembering someone with a donation to the American Cancer Society. Family member or friend, living or deceased, a Memorial gift not only shows caring but also helps to support the research, education and patient service programs of the American Cancer Society. To honor a loved one call the Prince Georges County Unit at (301) 261-6000.

Rabies Vaccination Clinics Offer Low Cost Shots

This year the Prince Georges County Health Department along with the Prince Georges County Veterinary Medical Association will be sponsoring low-cost rabies vaccination clinics at 26 animal hospitals throughout the County on Sunday, May 21, from 1 to 4 p.m. for one day only.

All pets must be brought to the clinic by a responsible adult.

This person can only have one animal in line at any time. Dogs must be on leashes and cats must be in a carrier or box. Only dogs and cats will be immunized. Rabies shots will be available for \$8.00 per animal and exact change is required.

For further information, directions and a nearby location, call the rabies clinic hotline at (301) 464-4910.

Fun at Goddard

Model rockets will reach new heights at Goddard Space Flight Visitor Center on Sunday, May 21 at 1 p.m. People can bring their own rocket or come out and watch the other rocketeers. All launches are monitored for safety and are held weather permitting.

For more information call 286-8103

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Fresh paint & terrific hardwood floors. Ceramic tile kitchen and bath! Attic for storage and W/D. **\$32,900 & \$1,000 Closing Help!**

UPPER LEVEL END UNIT

Modern kitchen, stacking washer & dryer, open stairway wall, carpeting, updated bath and big yard. **\$36,900**

2 BEDROOMS

WIDE END UNIT

Completely remodeled kitchen with stacking W/D & new appliances. Updated bath. Huge fenced. **\$54,900**

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All new kitchen, new carpet, fresh paint, gorgeous new bath, brass & oak fixtures. Backs to woods! **\$52,900 & \$1,000 Closing Help!**

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Large corner yard. Enlarged dining area. Stacking W/D. Open stairway wall. New carpet & paint. **\$44,990**

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Lovely yard backs to open area. Roomy kitchen, W/D, "Scan" wall unit, A/C, ceiling fan and more. **\$55,900 & \$3,000 Closing Help!**

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Gorgeous private yard is in full bloom! Enlarged kitchen w/dishwasher & disposal. Sep laundry. **\$52,900**

END UNIT will CONSIDER ALL OFFERS

Modern kitchen, sep. W/D, beautiful hardwd flrs & enlarged dining area. Large yard & huge shed. **\$54,900**

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Enlarged dining area, open kitchen w/bar, stacking W/D, great hardwd flrs, fenced yard and patio. **\$44,900 & \$1,000 Closing Help!**

BRICK HOME in SOUGHT-AFTER LOCATION

Across from the library! New carpet and paint. Deck and patio. Washer & dryer and built-in A/C. **\$59,900**

ENLARGED DINING AREA

Kitchen w/pass thru window & stack W/D. Beautiful bath, fenced yard & shed. Covered front porch. **\$49,900 & \$2,000 Closing Help!**

3 BEDROOMS

WONDERFUL HOME

Backs to woods, super cute yard with deck & shed. Roomy updated kitchen and ceramic tile bath. **\$58,900 & Closing Help available**

END UNIT

Enlarged separate dining area. Spacious modern kitchen w/pantry. Tile bath & freshly painted BR's. **\$52,900 & \$2,000 Closing Help!**

JUST LISTED

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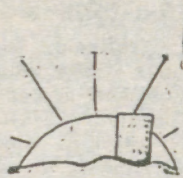


Rick Bedell

G&O Names Bedell General Counsel

Greenhorne & O'Mara, Inc. (G&O) announces the appointment of Richard S. Bedell, Esquire, as General Counsel. Bedell has 20 years of professional experience beginning in engineering and culminating in contract and business law. His previous legal experience includes the development of large-scale construction, design services, consulting, intellectual property and other technical contracts, many in excess of \$1 million. Bedell comes to G&O from EA Engineering Science & Technology. He has also worked with Contel, Spring International, and Bell Atlantic, in a legal/contract capacity. For COMSAT and Bethlehem Steel, Mr. Bedell provided program management and systems engineering services.

Mr. Bedell has a law degree from George Washington University (1988), and two masters degrees, one in Environmental Engineering (1980) and one in Administrative Science (1978) from Johns Hopkins University. His undergraduate degree is in Marine Engineering from the State University of New York, Maritime College (1975).



Greenbelt's Business

Area Giant Stores Take Giant Steps in Recycling

With the 25th anniversary of Earth Day being celebrated last week, Giant Food Inc. is pleased to announce that the company achieved a major recycling milestone during its 1995 fiscal year, which ended February 25,

For the year, Giant collected and recycled 50,000 tons of paper products—cardboard, office paper, computer paper, etc.—from its 164 stores in Maryland, Virginia, Delaware and Washington, D.C., as well as the company's warehouse facilities in Landover and Jessup.

"We have been recycling cardboard since before the first Earth Day in 1970, and over the years, we have added various other paper products to our program," said Barry F. Scher, Giant's vice president of public affairs. "In addition to this very successful recycling project, Giant is involved in various other initiatives aimed at preserving the environment."

Some of Giant's other environmental initiatives include: Plastic Bags/Film Wrap: In 1990, Giant began a program to collect and recycle plastic bags. Today, Giant collects and recycles approximately 1,000 tons of plastic bags (roughly 101 million bags) annually, and reusable mesh shopping bags, which are made exclusively for Giant by the Blind Industries & Services of Maryland, are sold to customers at Giant's cost. All proceeds from the sale of the bags are given back to the non-profit manufacturer. In addition, Giant offers a \$.03-per-bag credit for each paper bag that is returned and refilled at checkout. When handled and stored properly, paper bags can be reused many times.

Other Ways to Recycle

Giant is using natural gas in a limited number of fleet vehicles. The company has built a natural gas filling station at its Landover headquarters in anticipation of expanding the use of natural gas to many additional corporate vehicles.

Giant repairs an average of 225,000 pallets in their pallet repair facilities each year, which avoids the purchase of new wood pallets and this saves trees. Through separate programs, Giant returns over 117,000 used product crates and baskets annually to produce growers where they are reused.

Giant has recently updated its aluminum can recycling program in all its store breakrooms, warehouses and offices. New, permanent containers in which Giant staffers can deposit used cans have been purchased and placed in all Giant facilities.

Helping the Environment

Giant recently announced its most aggressive store expansion program in many years. The company's construction subsidiary builds most Giant stores and incorporates numerous environmentally-sensitive features into the design of each unit. As sites are cleared, the company retains mature trees whenever possible, and re-forests green spaces in parking lots. Giant has also minimized the use of anodized and plated materials on exterior wall surfaces. This reduces the disposal of the toxic material that is a result of this process. In addition, when possible Giant uses natural perlite as roof insulation and coal-tar derivative roofing products in lieu of petroleum derivatives. Alcan products made from raw material containing recycled aluminum are used for interior store walls. The ceilings above the office support areas are not fiberglass, but are made from recycled newspaper material. Finally, the freezers and chill cases use refrigerants that do not deplete the ozone layer.

Businesses in Greenbelt are invited to send us their news for this page

Cluster of Restaurants Proposed at Ora Glen

by Beth Alegret

Developer James Herl pictures the five acre lot at the intersection of Ora Glen and Hanover Parkway, known as the Commerce Center III property, housing a cluster of three restaurants. Herl said at the May 4 Greenbelt East Advisory Committee meeting that the decision to develop restaurants, instead of the 106,000 sq. feet of office space that it is now zoned for, would be better for Greenbelt residents in that the restaurants would be one story versus the five stories for the office building. He also said that the restaurants would require 15% fewer parking spaces. According to Herl, several restaurant chains, including Outback Steakhouse, Appleby's, Fuddrucker's and The Olive Garden have expressed an interest in the site.

Herl speculates that the restaurants will sit approximately 200 feet from Windsor Green townhomes. Sheldon Goldberg of the Windsor Green Board is concerned that residents will be adversely affected by elevated noise levels at night, the restaurants' peak hours of operation.

Councilmember Edward Putens liked the idea of the restaurant cluster, but felt that Windsor Green residents may not be so welcoming. And while many residents and non-residents may patronize the prospective restaurants, "not in my backyard" is the quote du jour. "All of those restaurants draw huge crowds. I'm not happy at all that they'll be so close. Not only will they be busy and noisy, they'll be an eyesore. I think the restaurants will devalue our homes," said one Windsor Green resident. Putens suggested Herl plan a fence or tree line between the homes and the restaurants to reduce noise and visibility between the two.

Goldberg is also worried about the increased traffic volume that the restaurants will bring to Windsor Green. Herl said that traffic study results may require him to fund road construction to accommodate the increased traffic levels.

Herl, eager to begin the development process, has scheduled a meeting with the Advisory Planning Board (May 24) and has asked the Boards in Greenbelt East to endorse the restaurant park plan.

Meet the Boss Day

Continuing a long-standing tradition of community outreach, Bell Atlantic will sponsor "Meet the Boss" Day on Wednesday, May 24 to help students prepare for traditional and non-traditional careers.

The event will be held from 10 a.m. to noon in Bell Atlantic's office at 7833 Walker Drive. Students will be able to tour Bell Atlantic's facility, "job-shadow" its employees and ask questions about career options and opportunities.

"I truly believe it takes a whole community to raise a child," says Susan Monroe, project supervisor for Bell Atlantic. "Everyone should take part in preparing children for the future. Bell Atlantic is hosting the event because it shares this commitment." Bell Atlantic has been honored in the past for its commitment to community excellence.

Parent Aides Nurturing and Discovering with Adolescents (P.A.N.D.A.) Middle School Project initiated "Meet the Boss" Day in partnership with the home economics department of the Prince Georges County Public Schools.



Larry Bory

Bory Joins G & O

Laurence D. Bory joined Greenhorne & O'Mara, Inc. (G&O) as Vice President of Corporate Marketing on March 6. In his new role, he will be responsible for participating in the development of the corporate strategic plan currently underway at the 700 person design consulting firm. Executive management at G&O is currently restructuring the firm to facilitate optimum client service. When complete, the strategic plan will provide guidance to management and staff on where the firm is headed and how it will get there.

Prior to joining G&O, Bory served in both public and private positions. His experience includes successfully lobbying state and federal legislatures, consulting to the U.S. EPA, economic development planning for the U.S. Department of Commerce, regional policy planning, and business development for a major national consulting engineering firm.

Specific successful activities include the conversion of the Brooklyn Navy Yard into a commercial industrial park, regional implementation of the Clean Water Act in Northern Virginia, and Federal lobbying to sustain and expand the "Brooks" A/E Procurement Act. Bory graduated from Trinity College, Hartford, Connecticut, in 1965.

Meer Is Graduate Of Power Program

Abdulla Meer, a top producing sales associate with CENTURY 21 Trademark Realty, recently graduated from the Darryl Davis Power Program.

Meer attended this intensive program that met once a month for 12 consecutive months to improve the service he provides to his customers. Agents are taught one topic a month, which they must master before moving on to the next lesson.

"The Power Program is considered by many to be the most advanced sales training course available to real estate agents today," Meer said.

CENTURY 21 Trademark Realty is located at 6401 Golden Triangle.

Weichert News

Karon Moore, Manager of the Greenbelt office of Weichert, Realtors, recently named Joyce Roper and Ashton Vasseli the Top Producers/Units of the office for the month of April. Roper was also named the Top Listings Sold, Top Volume, and Top Listings Obtained associate, while Vasseli was also named the Top Sales associate for the month.

Greenbelt Municipal Access Channel B-10 Schedule

Monday, May 22 at 8:00pm
City Council Meeting "live"

Tuesday & Thursday, May 23 & 25

6:00pm Education: A Class Act
6:15pm Students Against Drunk Driving
6:45pm Wayne Curry Press Conference
Concerning Library Funding
7:15pm GATE presents: An Evening with Friends
8:30pm Replay of City Council Meeting

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May Is National Lyme Disease Awareness Month

The Maryland Department of Health and Mental Hygiene (DHMH) recognizes the month of May 1995 as National Lyme Disease Awareness Month. May through September are the most common months for the increase in number of tick bites which cause Lyme Disease as well as Rocky Mountain Spotted Fever.

"The best way to prevent Lyme Disease or Rocky Mountain Spotted Fever is to avoid tall grass, brush and wooded areas this time of the year, but that can be hard to do in such a beautiful State as Maryland," said DHMH Secretary Dr. Martin P. Wasserman. "The key to having a healthy and safe summer is to take proper preventive steps and seek prompt treatment if symptoms appear."

People who go in areas where ticks are found should wear long sleeves and long pants; tuck pant legs into socks and shirt into pants; and wear hats and light colored clothes so ticks can be easily spotted. Only a small number of ticks carry the bacteria, but the percentage that do carry the bacteria may vary from area to area. The pinhead-sized stage of the black legged deer tick most often causes Lyme disease, while the much larger adult wood tick (dog tick) may pass Rocky Mountain Spotted Fever to humans.

Anyone going into areas where ticks are found, should make frequent checks of the entire body so if a tick is found, it can be removed properly and promptly," said Dr. Jack Grigor, DHMH Public Health Veterinarian. "Biting ticks must remain attached on the body for at least 24 hours to transmit Lyme Disease, but only four to six hours for Rocky Mountain Spotted Fever. Be sure to do a thorough body search. Ticks will most often be found on the hair, ears, armpits, groin and other folds of the skin."

Removal of ticks is important. Citizens are advised to promptly remove all ticks from the skin and mark the date on a calendar in case symptoms develop. The only proven way to remove a biting ticks is by using tweezers, grasping the tick as close to the skin surface as possible and pulling straight back with a slow steady force, lifting the tick from the skin. Crushing the tick's body should be avoided. If tweezers are not available, fingers can be used, but protect them by using a tissue or gloves. After the tick is removed, the wound should be treated similarly to a cut or a splinter wound, washing thoroughly with soap and water and applying an antiseptic.

Don't forget to check any animals which run freely in semi-wild or wild vegetation. Frequently the animal can bring ticks back into the home or surrounding vegetation. Ticks will often be attached to the animal in areas around the head or neck, or on the feet between the toes, where they cannot easily be disturbed by the animal's scratching or biting.

The most common symptom of Lyme disease is a reddish expanding rash at the site of the tick bite. It often has a pale center with a red rim, giving the appearance of a "bull's-eye." The rash is accompanied by flu-like symptoms (headache, fever, chills, tiredness, and muscle or joint aches). Anyone who develops the rash, which is 2 inches in diameter or larger, or other symptoms following a tick bite in 3 - 32 days should consult a physician.

Although prevention or early treatment is best, treatment should not be delayed. Untreated Lyme disease can have serious complications such as arthritis and neurological or cardiovascular illness. All stages of Lyme disease can be treated with antibiotics under the supervision of a physician. It is

almost never too late to treat Lyme disease. It does not lead to death.

Rocky Mountain Spotted Fever (RMSF) is different. Prompt treatment results in complete recovery. Untreated or delayed treatment can result in death. RMSF begins with a fever of over 101 degrees within two weeks after getting bitten by a tick. Headache, fever, overall weakness, and severe muscle aches are also symptoms of the disease. Sometimes a rash on the palms of the hands and bottom of feet will appear. In 1994, 22 cases of RMSF were reported in ten Maryland counties.

For more information contact: The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) Voice Information System, at (404) 332-4555, your local or state health department, or your physician.

County Has Its Bond Ratings Reaffirmed

Flanked by a team of county government managers and armed with tables and charts highlighting his proposed 1996 budget, Prince Georges County Executive Wayne K. Curry went to Wall Street to present the county's fiscal outlook at recent meetings on the county's bond rating.

"It is vital that the bond market have confidence in the county's financial future," Curry said. "That confidence translates into our ability to borrow money for important public improvement projects."

Moody's and Fitch investor services recently reaffirmed the county's ratings for general obligation bonds, with Moody's rating them 'A1' and Fitch 'AA'. Prince Georges continued high rating was in sharp contrast to other jurisdictions also grappling with budget problems. Most notable in this area is Washington, D.C., whose debt rating was reduced to junk bond status by Standard & Poor's.

Projections of a \$131 million shortfall required Curry to make deep cuts in the County's operations and services to bring expenditures in line with revenues in his first budget.

You Can Canoe! Day

Recreational Equipment, Inc. (REI) and Mad River Canoes will sponsor their annual You Can Canoe! Day on June 10. The event will be held at Seneca Creek State Park in Gaithersburg from noon to 4 p.m.

Mad River You Can Canoe! Day is a demonstration event. Mad River and Perception/Aquaterra will have canoes and kayaks available for public use. Basic instruction and on-the-water clinics will be scheduled during the day. For more information call or stop in to REI College Park, 9801 Rhode Island Ave, College Park, 982-9681. The event is free and open to the public.

GHI in Festival Of Co-ops at Capitol

On April 27, Greenbelt Homes participated in the Festival of America's Cooperatives as part of the National Cooperative Business Association's annual meeting in Washington, D.C. The festival was held in the Cannon Caucus Room on Capitol Hill immediately following briefings by conference participants who visited Capitol Hill to talk with members of Congress about issues important to cooperatives.

The festival featured displays of twenty or more cooperative businesses which showed the scope of cooperative enterprise. Congressional staffers and cooperators mingled and discussed co-op activities and business in a relaxed atmosphere.

A recent Gallop poll showed that cooperative businesses are ones that people trust. The popularity of cooperative businesses, whether health care, business purchasing, agricultural, credit unions, consumer food cooperatives, or housing cooperatives, shows that Americans believe in the quality, service, and competitive prices that cooperatives offer.

Greenbelt Homes is a cooperative business whose mission is to provide quality homes while preserving affordability and financial stability of the cooperative. It operates by the following principles that guide other cooperative businesses: open membership; democratic control; patronage dividends; political and religious neutrality; promotion of education of its members, officers, and employees; cooperation with other cooperatives at local, national, and international levels.



GHI display at Festival of America's Cooperatives.

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Each summer thousands of international students arrive in Washington to study at local universities or to work at internships. These students need a place to live.

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Please call the FSSC at (202) 232-4979 for additional information.

The Maryland Department of Human Resources is looking for people interested in becoming foster parents. The greatest need is for persons willing to care for children who have special needs including mental and physical disabilities: boys between the ages of eight and 13, babies and sibling groups. Foster parents can be married or single and don't have to own a house. The only requirements are that foster parents must be at least 21 years old, have a stable income and be willing to undergo an extensive criminal background check, medical examination and have a home inspection. For more information, contact Maryland Department of Human Resources at 1-800-555-1345.

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USDA

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has already been appropriated by Congress with the remaining funds included in USDA's FY 1996 Budget. She noted that a contract "for both the design and construction of the facility was in place."

When asked to comment on the City Council's major concerns about traffic generated by the facility, Carey explained that USDA engineers have been meeting with representatives of the State Highway Administration and Prince Georges County to work out a program for road improvements. She also said "We are trying to identify federal funds for this purpose and will need congressional authority to spend the money."

Worked Out?

Apparently a "workable" solution involving traffic improvement may have been reached, according to the City Solicitor Robert Manzi, who reported this possibility at the City Council's May 8 meeting. Upon the suggestion of councilmember Thomas White, an irritated council directed staff to initiate Freedom of Information requests to obtain detailed information, including all correspondence among the parties, regarding the road improvements.

Council became further disturbed when Manzi also recounted that the county's Chief Administrative Officer told him that County Executive Wayne Curry would not oppose the USDA project if the agency decides to locate it on BARC property. At the May 4 NCPC hearing, a spokesperson for Curry has said that, while the County Executive wants federal agencies to locate in the county, he did not feel the proposed site for the USDA headquarters was the best

location.

Fax Attack

In letters to federal, state and local jurisdictions, Mayor Antoinette Bram listed many reasons why council has been concerned about the USDA project since it was first proposed.

They include fears that 1) BARC will be "dismantled" through piecemeal development, 2) the proposed site does not take advantage of mass transit and 3) the property's Open Space Zoning will be ignored and the historic "Green Belt" lost. Bram points out that "Even though the federal government is exempt from local zoning, there are federal directives that agencies try to comply with local land use policies."

The letters also point out that several key intersections in the proposed project's location already have a failing level of service, and wetlands on and off the site will be impacted by the widening of Edmonston Road (MD 201) to four lanes from Cherrywood to Sunnyside Avenue and by widening Sunnyside Avenue.

Both NCPC and the City stress that establishing the USDA complex at BARC is contrary to BARC's research mission and master plan, and the Federal government's goal of preserving the "Green Belt" of Open Space areas around Greenbelt.

In disapproving the proposal for the USDA campus office complex NCPC raised four concerns:

1) The proposed complex is a USDA administrative facility not directly related to the important research mission of the BARC. 2) Establishing such a facility at BARC instead of in the District of Columbia or elsewhere in Prince Georges county or the region will establish a precedent that could potentially lead to the erosion of BARC's research mission and the important regional open space qualities of the center. 3) The

"If I Can Do It ..."

by Mary Clarke

I was not really a bicycle rider when I started thinking about alternate methods of commuting last fall. Our family had ridden a lot 15 years ago with our sons. My husband, Bill, is an avid rider and bicycle advocate. However, I had not been on a bicycle more than a half dozen times in the last decade. The coming of the Green Line of Metro to Greenbelt and proposed transit-fare subsidy for federal employees started me thinking about my single occupant automobile commute from Greenbelt to Southwest D.C.

There would be significant challenges in getting to the transit station without using an automobile since I wear the "attorney uniform" at work. I found a solution to the problem of clothing when I discovered a commuter bag which fits on a standard bicycle rack and carries a suit and a blouse on hangers with room for shoes, lingerie, makeup and all of the other necessities. My purse and calendar planner fit into a standard pannier on the other side of the rack.

After resolving the clothing problem, it was just a small mental leap to decide that commuting all the way by bicycle was no more difficult than getting to the transit station by bicycle. I began the season committed to the principle of

gradualism, recognizing the benefits of the "carrot" approach to behavior modification. My husband and I rode from Greenbelt to College Park for lunch on weekends. Then we rode to Union Station for lunch and took Metro back to Greenbelt. Finally, I was ready to bicycle into work. Bill met me in Brookland, about one third of the way home,

leadership and stewardship exhibited by the Federal Government in the establishment and preservation of the green belt of open space areas around the City of Greenbelt must be maintained. 4) The prudence of constructing such a large office complex in a time of federal government down-sizing is questionable.

I bought me dinner and we took the bicycle home by car. After a couple of once-a-week dinners in Brookland, we extended my after work commute, and dinner, to College Park. Finally, several weeks after beginning my commuting career, I was able to ride all the way, both ways.

There are no showers yet in my office building, so I sponge off and use lots of baby powder when changing in the bathroom. The pannier garment bag is very successful (except for the day of an important meeting when I forgot the skirt to my suit). I can also carry files in a compartment of the garment bag.

My automobile commute takes from 35 to 50 minutes depending on traffic. My bicycle ride takes 1 hour and 15 minutes in the morning and 1 hour and 30 minutes in the evening. Since I began bicycle commuting, I no longer work out at the fitness center which took two hours twice a week. I thus realize a small net gain in available time per week. The ride expends approximately 1,200 calories per day and I save \$7 in parking each time. I've lost 10 pounds since I began bicycle commuting.

Mary Clarke, age 49, is an attorney with the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency. She commutes twice a week from Greenbelt to her Southwest D.C. office, fifteen miles one-way.

Class of 85 Reunion

The class of 1985 Reunion Committee of Bladensburg High School is seeking classmates interested in attending a reunion. To contact the committee for more information call 301-855-5813 or 301-390-1753.

Help with the Shelter

Prince Georges Department of Social Services needs volunteer helpers with the transitional housing program in Landover. Volunteers are needed to help with the mentor program, coordinate children's activities, provide clerical support and help with special activities. To volunteer call 699-2800.

CONTRACTOR WARNING

The season for home improvement work is here. The City's Planning and Community Development office has received a number of calls from concerned citizens about contractors soliciting work in the area. The Maryland Home Improvement Commission (MHIC) urges homeowners to use only contractors licensed by the MHIC for work on their homes. There are persons who represent themselves to be contractors who work without a license. Homeowners can assist the Commission in safeguarding their rights by following these few simple steps:

—Be sure to obtain written estimates from licensed contractors only.

—Before signing any contract, contact the MHIC at (410) 333-6309 to be sure that the contractor is currently licensed and ask for the contractor's complaint record. Homeowners should be wary of doing business with any contractor who has a large number of complaints.

—Obtain references from the contractor of people in your area for whom work has been done. —Ask for a copy of the contractor's liability insurance certificate and make sure it's current.

—Be sure to get a written contract. Read your contract carefully before signing. Be sure it contains details of the work to be done, materials to be used and completion dates.

—Under Maryland law a contractor cannot require money down prior to the signing of a home improvement contract. At signing, no more than 1/3 of the total price is permitted.

—Certain types of home improvements require building permits from your local government, both County and City permits may be required. Check with the Dept. of Planning & Community Development at 345-5417 to see if your job requires a permit. If permits are required, make the contractor show them to you before you allow work to begin.

Even if a homeowner follows the precautions listed, there may be problems such as the contractor abandoning the work or poor workmanship. Should these problems arise, first contact the contractor and try to have them resolved. If this is unsuccessful, contact the MHIC immediately. Many homeowners are assisted by the Commission which investigates more than 3,000 complaints annually. The sooner homeowners contact the commission, the better chances are of having these complaints resolved without having to go through a lengthy hearing process.

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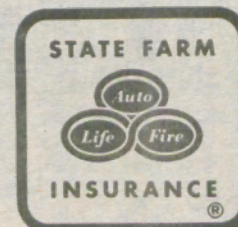
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"Quiz Show" Teaches Kids Municipal Government

by Millie O'Dea

"Municipal Government Week" (April 24-28) was celebrated in Greenbelt by bringing the City government to the schools. Beverly Palau, Public Information and Communications Coordinator for the city, developed a unique "Quiz Show" program to teach sixth graders at Springhill Lake Elementary and Greenbelt Elementary schools about their local government.

Students received informational packets on municipal government, the city of Greenbelt and various city departments. Palau followed up by making school visits, to help the students identify with municipal government on a personal level. She showed the classes the "Video Annual Report for the City of Greenbelt" and then gave the students a written test. Test scores were very good. All the participants received prizes furnished by the City of Greenbelt.

Quiz Show Contest

The top five scorers from each classroom made up the team for the quiz show portion of the program, which took place at each school during the week of March 27. To keep the student interest level high, Beverly not only formulated the questions but also created a relay race, making posters of each city department and questions hinting at which department served that particular need. Once the question was asked, the student knowing the department would go forward and point out that particular city department poster. She felt this was more fun than just answering questions.

Joe McNeal, Greenbelt's Rec-

reation coordinator, hosted the quiz shows and contributed to energizing the students. The judges were Harry James and Julie McHale, also members of the Recreation Department. Palau said, "the teachers at both schools really helped out and participated," and the students not only learned a great deal more about how municipal government works in their community but also had a good time learning. The winning team from each school won \$100 for their class.

Final Round

The final round of the Quiz Show was held on April 27 at the Greenbelt Municipal Building itself. The contestants wore specially-designed T-shirts, imprinted with "Municipal Government Works, It's Municipal Government Week, City of Greenbelt." The council chambers were decorated with brightly colored balloons and city department posters framed in large green borders. The contestants from Springhill Lake Elementary wearing blue shirts were Steven Lin, Jamie Reed, Michael Robinson, Dawn Fang and Mary McAndrews. The contestants from Greenbelt Elementary wearing



Greenbelt Elementary School's Green Team, winners of the city's "Municipal Government" contest, 1 to 5: Jerry Cooper, Rastko Popovic, Marcus Plummer, Holly Thompson and Kati Monke.

—photo by Letty Morton

green shirts were Kati Monke, Rastko Popovic, Jerry Cooper, Jr., Holly Thompson, and Marcus Plummer.

Mayor Bram welcomed all, complimented the finalists, and surprised the youngsters by inviting three boys and two girls whose last names began with "B" to take the seats of the mayor and council so they could "get an idea of what it felt like to run the city."

Many, many times the ques-

tions were not completely read before a contestant blew the whistle and called out the answer. This kept the pace moving briskly and excitedly. Only a few incorrect answers reflected the study investment made by the students. The final score was Springhill Lake, 155, and Greenbelt, 210. Marcus Plummer accepted a \$150 check on behalf of the winning team. A pizza party followed, compliments of Three Brothers Pizza.

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Our Neighbors

by
Linda Savaryn
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Condolences to Sonny Mooney of Parkway and Fred Mooney of Research Road on the death of their mother, Evelyn M. Hackley.

Darby Leigh, a senior majoring in religious studies at the University of Rochester, was elected to Phi Beta Kappa, the national scholastic honorary society. Faculty nominate students to Phi Beta Kappa on the basis of their scholarly achievement, humanistic values, and leadership potential. Leigh is a graduate of Dalton School in New York City.

John and Kelly Chambers of Crescent Road proudly announce the arrival of their son, Matthew Haven, born May 4 at Holy Cross Hospital and weighing 6 lb. 14 oz. Matthew's uncle is Andrew Karnes of Woodland Way.

Forested Wetlands

Come on a wetlands walk on Saturday, May 20 from 10 a.m. to noon in Patuxent Environmental Science Center North Tract. Patuxent research scientist Matt Perry will be the guide through forested wetland habitats -- natural and a constructed one. Wear boots and bring field guides. For 16 years and older; call (410) 674-3304 for information.

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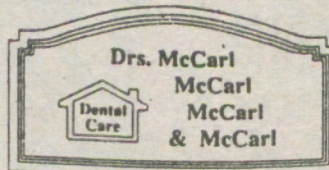
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